MINUTES OF EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF HASKETON PARISH COUNCIL

Held on Wednesday 21st October 2020 at 6.30pm. This was a remote meeting held via Zoom.

Final Draft Minutes

Attending: Parish Councillors (P.Cllrs) A. McWirter (AM) Chairman, J Withey (JW), A. Turner (AT), S. Butters (SB), I. Whyte(IW), S. Dack(SD), David Keeble(DK) (Parish Clerk). Also in attendance was invited Member of the Public W. Helm. (WH)

1.Welcome:

Chairman, AM, welcomed everyone to this remote zoom extraordinary PC meeting and explained the purpose was to consider two planning applications and the Quiet Lanes Scheme. He welcomed WH to the meeting.

2. Apologies for Absence:

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllr Rebecca Batley (work commitments). Apologies also received from DCllr Colin Hedgley (technical issues)

3. Declaration of Interests:

Councillor Ann Turner declared a nonpecuniary interest (neighbour) in relation to the planning application for Carpenters Workshop, Top road. (item 7)

4. Invitation for Members of the Public to Speak:

Refer item 5.

5. To Consider the Parish Council registration for the Quiet Lanes Scheme (QLS) and set up a Quiet Lanes Committee, its terms of reference and identify and appoint a Quiet Lanes Lead Volunteer/Contact.

(Details of Scheme previously circulated)

AM outlined the scheme and advised that rather than a Committee structure he was advocating a working group arrangement. The Clerk provided an update on the current position of the Parish Council in relation to its registration. The Parish Council has registered an initial interest, identifying the following roads:- Shubbery Lane, Riverside. Pinners Lane, the lower part of Low Road into Looms Lane (to junction with Mill Road) and Chimney Pot Lane. Funding has now been received by QLS from Suffolk County Council and the first task is for Hasketon to identify a Lead Volunteer/Contact in order that QLS ca process our nominated Lanes.

The next steps will see a two phased programme; Phase 1 - Testing the new process and produce template documents, based on trial of 10 nominated lanes in Parishes of Snape, Bentley and Glemsford, and Phase 2 – subject to available funds and time, is to bulk deliver the remaining nominated lanes over three waves.

There may be scope for additional nominations in Wave 3 (July – September 2021) subject to available capacity.

WH pointed out the QL map for the nominated roads does not appear to show all the roads initially Page 1 of 2 nominated by Hasketon PC. Clerk advised that the latest correspondence from QLS referred to 5 roads nominated which was the original number.

WH had previously expressed his interest in the scheme and AM invited him to take the Lead Volunteer/Contact role. WH accepted the invite and along with SD and AT agreed to form the Working /Advisory Group.

Clerk briefly explained function of working/advisory group and that the role would be solely to progress the Quiet lanes scheme and report back to the PC.

6. To Consider Planning Application – DC/20/3594/FUL – Replacement of rotten timber fence at Willow Farm Cottage, Grundisburgh Road, Hasketon, (B1079)

The PC resolved to recommend approval of this application.

Proposed – SB Seconded - SD

7. To Consider Planning Application – DC/20/4042/FUL – proposed demolition of redundant carpenters workshop and erection of new cottage (resubmission of previously approved under application numbers DC/19/9850/FUL and DC/20/1336/VOC) Carpenters Shops 2 Top Road Hasketon Suffolk IP13 6JF.

The PC resolved to recommend approval of this application.

Proposed – JW Seconded – IW

The Clerk was instructed to respond accordingly in respect of these two applications - ACTION - Clerk

Meeting closed at 6.47pm. Date of next scheduled PC meeting is November 12th 2020 at 6.30pm.

David Keeble Parish Clerk

SignedChairman.

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